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In The Application Of:

Matthew R. Sivik and Rixchard A. Denis

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Examiner: Amy T. Lang

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Title: Functionalized Polymer Composition For Grease

Sir:

RESPONSE TO NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Applicants received a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) dated January 29, 2008 stating that the RCE filed 04 September 2007 is considered non-compliant because no fee has been processed.

Applicants have enclosed herewith a copy of the USPTO Electronic Filing Receipt dated 04-SEP-2007 which confirms that the Request for Examination fee of \$1020 was processed and successfully received in RAM.

In view of this proof of payment of said fee, Applicants believe that the RCE filed 04-SEP-2007 is in compliance with the requirements of CFR 1.121 or 1.4.

If for any reason the Examiner believes that a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, I can be reached at the telephone number listed below.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees, including the RCE fee of \$1020, or credit any overpayment of fees to The Lubrizol Corporation Deposit Account No. 12-2275.

Respectfully submitted,

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